

WANTS GOOD JOB

L. L. Faris' An Applicant For Collector of Internal Revenue For First District.

L. L. Faris, of Lynchburg, is an applicant for Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of Ohio.

If consistent and continued labor in behalf of progressive principles entitles a Democrat to recognition from the present administration, Mr. Faris is entitled to something good. William J. Bryan has never had a more enthusiastic and loyal supporter and he has always been true to the principles espoused by Mr. Bryan.

Last Spring Mr. Faris was one of the Wilson candidates for delegate to the Democratic National Convention and while defeated ran far ahead of the other Wilson candidates and was only beaten by a few votes. He was one of the main movers in the organization of the Highland County Democratic Club and is now its president. He has the unanimous endorsement of the Central and Executive Committees of this county for the position to which he aspires.

Mr. Faris is a man of education and ability and a hustler and a fighter. During the recent campaign he worked early and late for the success of both the Democratic National and State candidates. He did not become a Wilson man because Wilson was the candidate of his party, but he was for Wilson before he was nominated and afterwards because he believed in him and what he stood for.

Mr. Faris would make a capable and efficient official and deserves the appointment of Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District.

Real Estate Transfers.

Susan Pausch et al to S. R. Ousley, Leesburg, lot, \$1.

Raymond D. Kirkpatrick to W. B. Rogers, Hillsboro, lot, \$1.

Cora E. Ross to Gilbert A. Pavey, Paint tp, 364a, \$1.

C. A. Long to Jacob Yochum, Mowrystown, lot, \$1.

James T. Lowe to Homer Graves, Greenfield, lot, \$1.

Ward L. Allen to Amelia B. Allen, Greenfield, lot, \$1.

E. A. Tinker to Loretta B. Fleming, Madison tp, 11a, \$1.

C. B. Fleming to H. C. Keefer, Madison tp, 11a, \$1.

Granville L. Todhunter to J. A. Baldrich, Madison tp, 40a, \$1.

Frank Ware to Ben Jamison and Lewis Moore, Fairfield tp, 89a, \$1.

Robert A. McNicol to Lewis Moore and Ben Jamison, Fairfield tp, 124a, \$1.

T. B. Vance to Elsworth C. Vance, New Market tp, 32a, \$1.

L. M. Easter to Alexander Easter, tp, 13a, \$200.

Mary Ogle to Ched Ogle, Madison tp, lot, \$400.

Wm. H. Rother et al to Emma Ruble, Hillsboro, lot, \$675.

Cornelius W. Shelton to W. H. Sonner, New Market tp, 62a, \$3125.

Joseph W. Emery to W. H. Sonner, New Market tp, 30a, \$1.

William H. Sonner to John A. Eyer, New Market tp, 30a, \$1.

James Lyons to S. R. Howard, Hillsboro, lot, \$1.

Lulu Barney to Mary M. Wiscup, Jackson tp, Int, 40a, \$20.

James Sherry et al to J. W. Hastings, Dodson & Hamer tps, 42a, \$1.

Frank Ware to Anna West, Leesburg, lot, \$1.

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Ruby Schmidt to Jacob E. White, Greenfield, lot, \$1.

Edward Green to Fanny Green, Madison tp, Int, lot, \$1.

Carrie D. Rucker to F. L. Brown, Greenfield, lot, \$1.

Frank L. Wilson to H. O. Wilson, Greenfield, lot, \$1.

Mary A. Coffman to Samuel M. Haley, Liberty tp, land, \$1.

John Roads to Isma Troth and John Hulitt, Hillsboro, 2-3 Int, lots, \$1.

G. E. Stubbs to Olive L. Keys, Lynchburg, lot, \$1.

Wm. H. Reed to J. W. Massie, Fairfield tp, lot, \$1.

B. A. McConaughy to Marilda B. McConaughy, New Market tp, 164a, Int, \$1.

Henry Walker to Bert Walker, Hamer tp, 9a, \$402.50.

John T. Collier exr to Jennie Baldwin, Greenfield, lot, \$2700.

Anna M. Smith to John D. W. Sparger, tp, 1274a, \$1.

James A. McAdow to Joseph W. Townsend, Lynchburg, lot, \$1250.

Sheriff Highland County to Mary Virginia Kelly, Jackson tp, 75a, \$300.

J. W. Watts to Nathan L. Keys, Marshall tp, 30, \$1.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Dindot moved here last week from St. Paris. Mr. Dindot is employed as trimmer at M. F. Carroll & Sons carriage factory.

BOYS CONTEST

CORN GROWING

Banks Offer Free Trip to Washington to the Boy Growing Most Corn

ON ONE ACRE OF LAND

Will Be Conducted Under Rules of State Board of Agriculture and is Open to Any Boy in This County.

The three Hillsboro banks will pay the expenses to Washington City of the boy in Highland county, who raises the most corn on an acre of land. The contest is open to any boy in Highland county between the ages of 12 and 18 years and will be known as "Hillsboro, Ohio, Bankers Corn Growing Contest." It will be conducted under the direction of the Ohio Department of Agriculture and according to the rules and regulations provided by it.

The three banks, Merchants National, Farmers & Traders National and Hillsboro Bank & Savings Co., have signed up the contest and mailed it to Hon. A. P. Sandles secretary of the State Board, Tuesday.

Each of these banks expect to receive application blanks within the next few days and any boy who contemplates entering this contest should call at one of the banks and secure a blank.

No restrictions are made by the banks, except that the boy be a resident of Highland county and comply with the rules laid down by the State Board of Agriculture. The measuring and judging of the corn will be made under the direction of the State Board of Agriculture.

Last year 200 boys took the free trip to Washington and had a grand time. This year Mr. Sandles expects at least twice as many boys to go. The average yield of the boys in the contest last year was 75 bushels per acre, while the average yield of their fathers was only 40 bushels per acre.

The purpose of this contest is to get the boys interested in farming, to impress them that there are great opportunities in farming and that the farm is a good place for a boy to be.

The Hillsboro bankers are to be commended for taking up this matter, as such a contest is certain to be of benefit to a county. To make two ears of corn grow where only one grew before is indeed a worthy ambition.

It was through the efforts of Hon. C. C. Muhlbach that the banks were interested in this movement and he is endeavoring to secure the cooperation of the Hillsboro Business Men's Association in the good work and expects to get that organization to also agree to send one boy to Washington.

Marriage Licenses.

Kelly Roberts, Mowrystown, and Anna Lewis, Sugartree Ridge.

George A. Haines and Sarah F. Vandungy, both of East Monroe.

Howard D. Fisher, of New Vienna, and Christie Jean Carey, of Careytown.

Musical.

The Young Ladies Sodality of St. Mary's Catholic Church will give a musical at Carroll's Hall, next Tuesday evening, March 25. Everybody cordially invited. The following program will be rendered:

Piano Solo.....June Doorley
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. Harry Rogers
Vocal Duet.....Mr. and Mrs. J. Carroll
Vocal Solo.....Mae Coffman
Piano Duet.....Josephine McCormick
Vocal Solo.....Madge Dillon
Vocal Solo.....Alice Carroll
Vocal Duet.....Thos. Maroney
Selection.....Joseph Rodgers
Selection.....Girls' Chorus

Senior Orations.

A number of the members of the senior class of the High School will deliver their essays at the Washington School Building, Thursday evening, March 20. The program follows:

Musical.....Underwood's Orchestra
Russia and the Jew.....John Leighley
To Thine Own Self Be True.....Grace Hopkins
Piano Solo.....Mrs. Boyd Nevlin
The Mexican Situation.....Roscoe Swartz
Flowers.....Alice Bishop
Vocal Solo.....Miss Ruth Thomas
Diamond.....Blanche Custer
Vocal Solo.....Hardin Roads
Vocal Solo.....High School Orchestra
The Dwellings of Man.....Earnest Holladay

Rev. J. W. Klise was called to Otway Wednesday to preach the funeral of Rev. R. F. Wamsley.

BILLS ALLOWED

To Whom Paid and For What Purpose the Money of the County is Expended.

Jas. M. Foley, rep Crt House, \$1.50.
Chas. B. Linton, sheriff, \$4.
Jno. Q. O'dell, ser bur com, \$7.
Moore & Hindman, lab jail, \$10.15.
Dayton Blank Book Co, sup, \$24.50.
Hillsboro Ice Co., ice, \$6.
A. H. Reams, coal, \$15.81.
Barrett Bros, legal blanks, \$51.50.
City Work House, mainte pris, \$72.75.
C. W. Fairley, livery sheriff, \$2.50.
W. H. Stange & Co, sup aud and treas, \$131.
J. Ed. Shannon, express, 40 cents.
Bobbitt & Rubie, bur Robt. Barnett, \$75.
J. M. Murray & Co., bur Samuel R. Stevens, \$75.
D. M. Evans, bur Jos. Cox, \$75.
J. D. Bobbitt, cor fees Inquest C. C. Shade, \$7.30.
Constable fees Inq C. C. Shade, \$4.65.
Witness fees Inq C. C. Shade, \$5.
J. C. Larkin & H. A. Russ, holding autopsy C. C. Shade, \$50.
J. D. Bobbitt, cor fees Inq Frank Rubie, \$5.90.
Jno Hawk, wit fees Inq F. Rubie, \$1.
Chas. M. Johnson, board'g jury, \$13.
O. W. McLaren, final est mas R. I. 38, 37 and 38, \$409.38.
C. L. Hammond, labor, \$7.
F. M. Main, labor, \$18.20.
Lacy King, repairs, \$5.50.
J. A. McCall, repairs, \$16.75.
F. M. Main, repairs, \$11.50.
John Leaverton, repairs, \$4.55.
Louis Burger, lumber, \$224.50.
W. B. Jacks, scraping pike, 7.50.
John Leaverton, labor, \$6.75.
H. R. Lindsey, labor, \$7.
H. H. Carr, donation to pike #1, \$93.11.
I. T. Vance, ref dog tax, \$2.

Probate Court Proceedings.

Will of John Roads probated.

Mary J. Ludwig appointed exrx of Robert B. Barnett.

Will of John Smith filed and probated.

Willard C. Smith appointed exr of John Smith.

Jessie B. Bennett, admrx of Anne Utman, filed application for distribution of assets in kind.

John T. Collier, exr of Ira C. Baldwin, filed first and final account.

Jas. C. and Isma T. Roads appointed exrs of John Roads.

Ardeila Holladay, exrx of Henry Rhoades, filed third and partial distributive account.

Kate Chambers appointed gdn of Nancy McClellan.

With The Bowlers.

	Won	Lost	Per Cent
Night Owls.....	6	3	667
Eagles.....	7	5	583
Tigers.....	3	6	333
Has Beens.....	3	6	333

Several good individual scores were rolled in the bowling tournament last week. Sigel Mullenx, of the Night Owls, made the high score, 221; Harry Stanforth, of Night Owls, also hit them for 219 and Walter Stanley for 214. Everett Mullenx, of the Eagles, averaged 182 in the three games against the Has Beens Thursday night.

The scores of the different games during the past week follows:

	1st	2nd	3rd
Eagles.....	760	742	836
Tigers.....	701	744	796

NIGHT OWLS TAKE TWO.
Night Owls..... 725 862 818
Has Beens..... 731 718 708

TWO FOR NIGHT OWLS.
Night Owls..... 812 760 809
Eagles..... 802 773 725

Farmers' Institute.

The program of the Farmers' Institute in the interests of Agricultural Education in public schools to be held at K. of P. Hall, Rainsboro, on Thursday is as follows:

1 p. m. Song America
Invocation.....Rev. W. E. Shriver
Song.....Rainsboro High School
Recitation-The Forty Acre Farm.....Hattie Blatt of No. 10
.....Nellie Thurman of No. 4
Music.....Rainsboro Quartette
Address.....L. S. Ivins, S. of A. Education
Discussion
Song.....Madge and Mary S. Cameron
Address.....W. A. McCurdy S. S. I.
Music.....Rainsboro Quartette
Recitation-The Child's Question.....Juanita McNeal of No. 3
Recitation-The Farmers' Idle Wife.....Grace Crispin of No. 12
Corn Exhibit to be Judged and Sold
NIGHT SESSION 7 P. M.
Music.....New Petersburg Orchestra
Recitation-Don't Fret.....Ruth West of No. 8
Recitation-Ohio, God's Country Forever.....Ralph Snider of No. 13
Song.....Ada Garrett
Discussion of S. System opened O. N. Sams
Music.....New Petersburg Orchestra
Address.....W. A. McCurdy
Music.....Orchestra
Address.....L. S. Ivins

COURT NEWS

Jim Johnson Found Not Guilty of Larceny--Three New Cases Were Filed

The case of James Johnson indicted for stealing hogs of E. B. Dines and J. W. Evans last fall, was heard by Judge Newby and a jury Tuesday. After the testimony was in Judge Newby instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty, the testimony not showing the property at any time in the possession of the defendant.

POWELL CASE CONTINUED.

The case against C. S. Powell, indicted for assault with intent to kill, was continued Monday until March 31, upon application of defendant. It is reported that Mr. Powell is attempting to dispose of his property in Greenfield and will leave there if he does and that if this is done the case against him will be nolleed.

FOUR NEW CASES FILED

Four new new cases were filed in the Common Pleas Court during the past week.

Richards, Zink & Co. ask for the revivor of a judgment for \$49.85 with interest from June 1903 and costs against E. R. Favor. The plaintiff states that the judgment is now dormant and prays that it be revived.

The Crane & Breed Manufacturing Co., secured a judgment against Harold Owen for \$123.13 on a cognovit note.

The Farmers & Traders National Bank secured a judgment against L. L. Holmes and Elizabeth Holmes for \$1250 and against Elizabeth Holmes for \$500 on Tuesday. These judgments were taken on cognovit notes which were signed by J. F. R. Holmes, deceased.

School Entertainment.

An entertainment will be given at the Washington School Building Friday evening at 7:30 by the pupils of the Webster School Building. In addition to numbers by the pupils of the school a concert will be given by the Aeolian Company, of Cincinnati, who have sent a victrola here for the entertainment.

AGRICULTURAL TRAIN

With Exhibits of Live Stock and Grains Coming--Meeting at Night.

The Agricultural Train being operated by the College of Agriculture, Ohio State University, in co-operation with the N. & W., will arrive here at 6 o'clock next Tuesday evening. A night meeting will be held at Bell's Opera House at which lectures will be delivered by prominent educators.

One of the features of the night meeting will be an address by G. E. Cassel, of Virginia. This talk will be illustrated by hundreds of stereoscopic views with special stress laid on forestry. Another of the important topics that will be discussed at the night meeting is "Home Life."

Pupils of the schools throughout the county are urged to be present, especially the high school pupils.

The talks at the cars will begin at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning. One car of live stock and one car filled with exhibits of grains, seeds and grasses are carried. The live stock comes from the farm of the State College of Agriculture.

The people of Hillsboro and Highland County are indeed fortunate in securing both the night meeting and the talks at the cars from the lecturers with this "College on Wheels."

Every farmer in Highland county should attend one and if possible both of these meetings. It is an unusual opportunity. Arrange so that you can be present.

Knocked Unconscious.

Harry Keithler, a N. & W. carpenter, was struck back of the ear by a lever in a jack Tuesday morning and knocked unconscious. He was working with another man on one of the bridges of the N. & W. near Hillsboro. They were using a jack to raise the bridge. The fellow workman of Keithler had hold of the lever on the jack. It slipped from his hands striking Keithler back of the ear, inflicting a severe scalp wound and cutting the lobe of the ear. It is not believed the injury will be serious.

The 85th birthday of Moses Calvert was celebrated with a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Holladay, east of town, Friday. The guests were Moses Calvert, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Calvert, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Calvert, Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Beam, Mrs. Maggie Calvert and Mrs. Lew Swisshelm and children.

W. H. MOBERLY

WAS KILLED

Friday Night When Struck By a N. & W. Freight Engine at Mt. Orab

HIS SKULL WAS CRUSHED

And Arm and Several Ribs Were Broken--Body Was Found Next Morning in Pool of Water Beside Track

W. H. "Dickey" Moberly, of Buford, was struck by a N. & W. freight engine at Mt. Orab, Friday night at 8 o'clock and instantly killed. His body was found lying in a pool of water near the railroad tracks Saturday morning by the track walker, Ed Walker.

Mr. Moberly was a contractor and lumber dealer. He had been to Cincinnati on business and was returning home Friday evening. He came up from Cincinnati on the N. & W. train that arrives at Mt. Orab at 7:30. When he reached Mt. Orab he got off the train on the side away from the depot. Nothing was thought of this, however, as he frequently did this, walking up the track a short distance and then home.

Mr. Moberly was last seen alive, just after he got off the train but there seems to be no question but that his death was purely accidental and occurred as follows although at first it was thought he might have been murdered and robbed.

After leaving the train Mr. Moberly walked a short distance up the track and sat down on a pile of railroad ties. The prints of his shoes were plainly discernible on the ties and his overcoat, knife and pipe were found on them. He must have been sitting on the ties when a freight train passed along at 8 o'clock and was struck on the side of the head by a bar that extends across the front of the engine. His body was knocked from the ties and rolled down the embankment into a pool of water.

When found the next morning the body was lying in about 8 inches of water. An examination disclosed that the skull was crushed, one arm broken in two places and several ribs broken. Physicians who examined the body stated that death must have occurred instantly.

After the examination of the body to confirm the theory that death was caused by Mr. Moberly being struck by an engine, an engine similar to the one drawing the freight train was run past the pile of ties. It was found that if a person had been sitting on the ties in the place that the footprints indicated Mr. Moberly was sitting, he would have been struck on the side of the head by the bar on the front of the engine. This and the fact that \$65.80 in money and his watch was found on the body, entirely explodes the theory of murder and robbery.

The funeral services were held at the home Monday morning at 10 o'clock; interment in the Buford cemetery. He is survived by his wife and two children.

U. B. Church.

Sunday School 9 o'clock. Preaching 10:30 Subject "The Resurrection Body." Christian Endeavor 6 o'clock. Topic "Vital Living the Lesson of Easter." Preaching at 7 o'clock.

Opportunity for uniting with the church and for baptism will be given at each service.

Services at Presbyterian Church.

The special services this week at the Presbyterian Church will no doubt be well attended as this is the most natural time in the year to seek spiritual blessing. Preaching by the Pastors of the city will add interest to the services. On Monday evening Rev. B. F. Smith, of the Christian Church; on Tuesday evening, Rev. T. H. Johnson, of the Baptist Church; on Wednesday evening, Rev. Dr. R. O. Matthews, of the Methodist Church. The services of these good pastors will be greatly appreciated by all who come.

Plans for Thursday and Friday evening will be announced later. A most cordial invitation is given to any friends in the community to share with us the inspiration of these hours. Services begin promptly at 7:30 p. m.

The Queen Esther Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, will hold a market, Saturday, March 23, in the room recently vacated by Berryman's Hat Shop. The sale begins at 9 o'clock. Everybodys trade solicited.

GOLDEN WEDDING

Celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. Jas. G. Lyle With a Family Dinner Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Lyle celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home on S. East street Wednesday.

At noon an elaborate family dinner was served, all of their children and their families being present.

The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion, a yellow and white color scheme being followed. Yellow jonquils, Marshal Neil roses and smilax were profusely used in the decoration and made an appropriate setting for the enjoyable and happy reunion.

The dining room was lighted with yellow candles and yellow folders containing pictures of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle were the place cards.

During the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Lyle held an informal reception, many of their friends dropping in to congratulate them.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle were married at Sugartree Ridge on March 19, 1863, but have lived in Hillsboro most of their married life. Here they have won the respect and esteem of the people by their many estimable qualities.

Mr. Lyle served with honor in the Civil War and for many years held positions of trust in Hillsboro. After serving a few years on the police force, he was elected city marshal and held that position for many years. During that time he proved to be a brave and fearless officer and Hillsboro never has had as good an arresting officer as "Jim" Lyle. Mr. Lyle has not been actively engaged in any business for several years.

Besides the bride and groom those present at the family dinner Wednesday were: Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lyle and son, George, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lyle and son, Clarence, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jolly and children and Mrs. Walter Rector, of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lyle and daughter, Minnie, of New York City, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lyle, of Leesburg, and Charles F. Lyle, of Washington C. H.

New Market Presbyterian Church

There will be preaching service at the New Market Presbyterian church next Saturday, March 22, at 7:30. Also on followi g Sunday at 10:45 Subject "An Easter Message," by Rev. C. P. Kerr. All are cordially invited.

Egg Rolling Social.

All Odd Fellows and their family or sweethearts and all Rebekahs are requested to attend the egg rolling social at the Odd Fellows Hall, Monday night, March 24. Let everyone bring as many eggs as they can eat. Come and have a good time. SEC.

Hillsboro Fair.

The Hillsboro Fair will be held this year on August 5, 6, 7 and 8. These dates were selected at a meeting of the board Monday night. The following officers were elected: Sam R. Free president; W. E. Calvert, secretary and C. C. Muhlbach, general superintendent.

Woman Struck by Traction Car.

Mrs. Julia Leininger was struck by a C. & C. Traction Car Sunday morning and was knocked down but not seriously injured. Mrs. Leininger lives with her son-in-law, William Bowman, near Hoagland's Crossing and in company with Mrs. Hannah King had gone to Stop 79 to take a traction car to go to Fairview to attend church. Mrs. King crossed the track to flag the car and Mrs. Leininger tried to follow her, but just as she stepped from the track was struck by the car and thrown into a ditch. She was at once taken to her home. She sustained some bad bruises but no serious injuries.

Lecture on Vital Question.

Mrs. Albert Mushe, Ph. D., of Washington City, will deliver a lecture on "Heredity and Problems in Eugenics" at the Presbyterian Church Wednesday afternoon, March 26. The lecture is explained by charts.

Mrs. Mushe comes here highly endorsed by prominent people and eminent educators. The importance of her subject is evident to all.

The people of Hillsboro are fortunate to have the opportunity to hear Mrs. Mushe on the vital topic and the women of